After all, is it as much fun to win as to roast the umpire?

The chief trouble with the wheat market is the speculative bug. A Chicago chemist gave six reasons

for his suicide, but cowardice was not among the number.

The Detroit girl who has been thrice wedded to the same husband has no end of perseverance.

New York has a woman stone cut-Men will be particular about giving her the marble heart.

The Infante Alfonso's names appear to be sufficiently numerous and for midable to keep him off the cigar

It is consoling to realize that sun-

shine can still be counted upon to follow clouds and rain if we wait long enough. "What is whisky?" asks the Wash-Ington Herald. Now will there be a

rush of obliging editors to incriminate

themselves? A cry of "Mice" broke up a woman suffragist meeting at Wimbledon in England. Is there no limit to mascu-

line depravity?

As between aerial and submarine navigation, in their present stage of development, the prudent person still prefers hoofing it.

It seems to be settled that both the United States and Mexico want peace down in Central America, and that they will not have to fight

It is a serious charge to say that the women do too much talking through the telephone. Do they hipder other women from using the

Persons with matrimonial experi ence will Indorse Rev. Mr. Philputt's dictum that the cheerful heart comes first in Wifely qualities and the clean house afterward.

Raw eggs and sweet milk, taken in large and frequent doses, is the newest cure for tuberculosis. Wouldn't be so bad if the raw eggs could be put up in capsule or powder form.

Two Million Russians are starving. The rest of the Russians have troubles of other kinds. If we were the czar we could not help feeling that we were doing a mighty poor job of governing.

A bureau is to be established for the purpose of aiding tramps. The tramps will consider it a failure if it does not limit itself to the business of providing free meals and wearing

New York is to spend \$100,000 for free concerts on piers and in parks this summer. There is no city except London where so much free music is supplied, and the outlay this year will be larger than ever.

Mr. Schwab says we shall have to throw away our expensive steel rails and put in new ones of nickel steel. If the capitalization of some of the roads was not so moist they could afford to put in a gold-plated roadbed

there are 28,000 men wo the Panama canal, and they are digging something like 1,000,000 cubic yards a month, each man apparently digs something like a cubic yard a day. Of course, however, a good many of the 38,000 never lift an ounce of

It is probable that Maurice Francis Egan, who writes poetry for the magazines, will be appointed minister to Denmark. It would be a good joke on Alfred Austin, who thinks there are no poets in America, if the President would make it a point when the next ambassador to the Court of St. James is appointed to select some good, steady poet for the job.

Fine old language, the Latin. Fine new slang, our own. We say, to-day, when a man is knocked down and out, "He's got 'his.' " The Romans, be holding the dying gladlator, pierced by the victor's blade, cried out across the arena, "Habet." And they're practically and almost literally the same

Statistics issued at the close of the year 1906 show that there were in use in the United States alone more than 7,000,000 telephones, and an aggregate of a little over 6,000,000 miles of wire used for telephone service. The telephone industry gives employment to 90,000 persons in the United States, an increase of 171 per cent in six years, while during the same period the number of stations has increased 239 per cent and the wire mileage 349

Rev. Dr. Aked's plea for a Christocentric revival staggers his hearers a bit, but they may get at his mean ing in time. The distinguished English preacher, like one of his emicountrymen, evidently delights to indulge in terminological exacti-

Dr. Eastwood, an eminent English authority connected with the Royal Commission of Tuberculosis, says that clearly one of the most important steps in fighting the scourge of consumption is to keep a watchful

eye on the milk supply. Dr. Earp's motto for after-dinner speakers that 'It is better that a man should be a five-minute hit than a 20minute bore" should be inscribed in gold letters on all china and glassware used for banquets. And it would not be amiss to put it on the cutlery,

the table linen and the furniture. Manager Hibbard of the telephone company complains that women talk too much over the telephone. Other men, says the Chicago Daily News, have been known to make even more eping statements in regard to somen's conversational powers,

THE FINANCIAL GREEN APPLES.



Doctor Sam-All right, my boy, eat 'em If you like, but remember I'm no: on call if you get one of your spells

WARY WITNESS

IN CROSS-EXAMINATION HE RE-FUSED TO COMMIT HIMSELF.

WAS EMPLOYED BY MINE OWNERS

His Explanation Was that He Was Double Crossing Enemies of Western Federation.

Boise, Idano-The complete confession of Harry Orchard in the trial of Haywood involved a record of crime so nonstrous that when it had been fully disclosed as the chief reliance of the prosecution for convicting Haywood, the defense found latitude on cross-examination which would have been impossible had the witness been confined to the murder of Steunenberg alone, which he testified he had com mitted for money paid him by the "inner circle" of the Western Federation

of Miners, including Haywood. Under cross-examination, Orchard admitted stealing sheep he had no use for and also that he had boasted of committing a highway robbery in San Francisco he had never committed at

Tales Are Hardly Credible.

The feature of the trial so far has een the testimony or Orchard.

According to his own testimony, ne is a flend incarnate. The tales that he continued to tell from the witness stand upon cross-examination and in which he invariably figured as one of the principals are hardly credible, and unless the prosecution brings forth strong evidence to support the story of his crimes, which, he said, were nearly all instigated by the Western Federation of Miners, it is hard to conceive how a jury of fair-minded men could convict the accused.

With a sang froid which possibly in three bodies. has never cen seen before in any Orchard, by his own confession, stands as the slayer of 18 men, has admitted that he abandoned wife and child, and in his cross-examination has added arson to his already long list of crimes. In fact, according to his own testimony, which was brought out in a grilling cross-examination, this man has confessed to almost every crime beginning with lying and petit lar-

He admitted that frequently he told of exploits which existed only in his own imagination, but were related with a view of gaining the admiration of his friends for the temerity he displayed in the commission of crime.

Orchard Is a Wary Witness. For several days in succession Law

yer Richardson, for the defense, pursued the cross-examination of Orchard concerning his confession of the series of murders and plottings. The witness, with remarkable stability, adhered in the main to his story and shrewdly refused to commit himself as to precise dates. It was in regard to his having been

secretly in the employ of the mine owners that the testimony brought the most damaging admissions. This the witness tried to explain by the claim that he was double-crossing the enemies of the miners' federation.

Haywood, in a telegram to the annual convention of the Western Federation of Miners at Denver, said that Orciard was "the greatest liar of the twentieth century,' and that he intended to take the stand to refute him, adding that he would be a free man

Dr. Hirsch Reaches Bremen. Bremen.-Dr. Emil G. Hirsch, of Chicago, has arrived here on the Kaiser Wilhelm der Grosse. He will tour Europe during the summer month accompanied by his wife and several members of his congregation.

Kills Wife With Fist Blow Wausau, Wis .- Henry Wolff, of the town of Easton, in a quarrel with his kife, killed her with a blow of his fist as they were struggling for the posession of a revolver which she was said to be flourishing at him.

Lightning Kills Illinois Man. Mount Vernon, Ill.-James McCoy, aged 24 years, was struck by lightning and instantly killed during a thunder storm that prevailed here. His clothing was torn off and the bolt charred portions of his body from head to

Santiago, Chile-A severe earth-quake was experienced at Valviva. Several buildings and the raffroad bridges there were destroyed and five the countryside. No damage was re-

TROOPS TAKE TO THE SHIPS

American Leader of Revolution Is Among Those Who Are Captured.

> San Salvador.-A force of Nicara guans landed at Acajutla, and at once made their way to the town of Sonsonata, where they plundered the custom house and stole \$20,000 from the local agency of the Bank of Salvador, Salvadorean troops then appeared and defeated the invaders, who fled precipitately back to Aca jutla, where they re-embarked upon some vessels flying the Nicaraguan flag, and made their way out of the harbor.

> The battle was fought near the town of Sonsonata, which is well garri-Acajutla, on the Salvadorean railroad, which connects the ports of Acajutla with the capital of the republic. As oon as the invading force entered the harbor they easily took possession of the town, which was poorly defended They then selzed a train and swiftly moved on to Sonsonata.

> Salvador Mobilizes Army. Meanwhile President Figueroa had heard of the capture of the town and ordered an immediate mobilization of the Salvadorean army. A number of troops were rushed by the train from the capital to Sonsonata. During the night the invaders surrounded the town, attacking this morning with the

result above stated. An intimate friend of President Fig. ueroa declares that while this latest movement has been checked it has not been crushed, for every one in the country realizes it is but the fore runner of a well-thought-out plan, the ultimate aim of which is the seating in the presidential chair of a man of President Zelaya's choice. Within a few days, it is believed. President Figueroa will have to divide his forces

Americans Fight for Zelava. young Americans, aged respectively 22 and 26. They are from New Or leans, and are paid by Zelava who has made them colonels, commanding two respective regiments of this ex pedition. One of the men is said to not a luxury, but a necessity, in a dehave attended West Point.

Hail and Rain Damage Crops. Vandalia-A terrific hallstorm, at tended by a heavy rain, visited the southeastern part of this county, doing damage to fruit and other crops Small streams were turned into surging torrents, overflowing much bottom

land in cultivation.

Off to the Peace Conference. Paris-Gen. Horace Porter and Gen. J. W. Foster of the American delega tion to the peace conference left Paris for The Hague on the same train which took Ambassador Nelldoff, chief of the Russian delgation, headed by ex-Premier Bougeois.

Husband and Wife Dead. Los Angeles-Fred E. Edson a lodging house keeper, shot and inhis head off. The couple had frequently quarreled over financial matters. They came from Oskaloosa, Ia., some time ago.

Osage Chief Dies Suddenly. Pawhuska, Okla,-Ex-Chier Claremore, head of the Claremore band of a small station on the North-Osage Indians, died suddenly. He had western railroad, fifteen miles north of a wide acquaintance among the In- this city, caused considerable loss to dians as well as the whites through property and five lives thus far are reout southern Kansas and Oklahoma.

Powder Plant Demolished.

Fort Smith, Ark .- Corning Mill of the Equitable powder plant, located five miles from Fort Smith, was demolished by an explosion, and Willlam Coleman, a workman, was killed. The cause of the e plosion is not outcome of his case. known. Loss is estimated at \$50,000.

Denies Raising Foreign Loan. London-M. Routkowsky, the Ruspositively the report that Russia contemplates raising a foreign loan.

Los Angeles, Cal.—A young man went to the police station and declared that he shot and killed Jack Shoten at Yatesville, Pa., and that he had brood. state department. The new Nicaed over the crime until he was crazy. The man did not give his name. He Sanchez.

was held for investigation. Stromboli Again Active. Catania, Sicily.—After a period of quietude a somewhat violent eruption of Stromboli occurred and terrified

FIGHTS 2-CENT LAW

TEMPORARY RESTRAINING ORDER AGAINST MISSOURI ROADS.

SUITS HAVE BEEN FILED

Attorneys for Illinois Roads Meet to Consider Means of Attack-

ing the Law.

Kansas City, Mo .- The railroads were taken by surprise Thursday when the attorney general filed and received orders restraining the railroads from keeping the old passenger fare of three cents a mile and the old freight rates in effect. The suits 16 sults of similar nature were filed in St. Louis against eight roads.

The conflict of state and federal ourts was mentioned by Judge Mc-Pherson, who said such a condition would be avoided, if possible, but that the government's jurisdiction would not be allowed to be superseded. As the railroad attorneys wanted time to consider the state's move, adjournment was taken until afternoon, when the time for arguing the different orders will be set.

Illinois Roads to Attack 2-Cent Law. Chicago, Ill. - A special meeting of the attorneys for the Illinois railroads has been called to consider the possibility of attacking the 2-cent passenger rate law in the courts. It becomes operative July 1, and injunction proceedings will be the method of attack if it be decided practicable.

Missouri has set the precedent in a plea by the railroads for a permanent injunction against the enforcement of the 2-cent law and the maximum

Proceedings have been begun also in Minnesota, where a 2-cent law is in effect, and tentative plans for action have been made by the railroads in Iowa, Nebraska and Arkansas.

ROBBERS LOOT SANITARIUM.

Patients in Home for Nervous People Terrorized by Night Visit.

Chicago, Ill.-Three armed and masked men, at 3 o'clock Friday morning, drove up to the North Shore soned, and is about twelve miles from health resort of Winetka, 16 miles north of Chicago on Lake Michigan, a sanitarium of fashion for the treatment of nervous disorders, and ransacked the entire place, throwing the 37 patients into a state of terror, and leaving some in a critical condition.

The men walked through every corridor in the place, forcing nurses to accompany them and show them where patients' clothes were kept in their rooms. Patients awakening in terror and beginning to scream, were forced into quietude at the point of revolvers.

Everybody, every room, every bureau and every desk in the institution was searched. The bandits secured over \$2,000 in money and jewels. Much valuable clothing was carried

One Killed in Wreck. Carmi, Ill.-E. Williams, aged 21 years, of Mount Carmel, Ill., was crushed to death on the Big Four tracks at Grayville. The engine crew escaped by jumping. A heavy coal Dills, left the track at the Illinois Cen-Traffic was completely

Tobacco Declared a Necessity. Washington, D. C .- The government officially declares tobacco to be cision by the comptroller of the treas-The question arose through a number of laborers employed for the construction of the Panama canal who have been held in quarantine, demanding tobacco during their confinement.

Acquitted of Charge of Fraud. Manila, P. I.-Francis B. Thornton has been acquitted of the charge of complicity in the quartermaster fraud case. The public prosecutor says that unless new evidence is froth. coming Capt. Fred C. Cole will not be Thornton was Cole's chief tried.

Explosion on Submarine Fatal. Portsmouth, England. - Lieutenant Hart, of the royal navy, was killed and three sailors were injured by an explosion of gasoline on board a submarine boat. The submarine was stantly killed his wife and then blew | maneuvering in the harbor when the explosion, which was caused by an accumulation of gas, occurred.

Death in a Cloudburst St. Paul, Minn .- A Rapid City, S. D., special to the Pioneer Press "A cloudburst near Tilford,

Veteran Temperance Apostle III. Los Angeles, Cal.—Francis Murphy the veteran temperance apostle, is seriously ill at his home with a complication of ailments, and his physicians are in doubt about the probable

Julia Magruder, Novelist, Dead, Richmond, Va.-Miss Julia Magru der, the novelist, died here after a pro sian financial agent in London, told tracted illness. She was 51 years old the press that le was able to deny She was an native of Chariottesville Va., and her home was in Washington, D. C.

> Mexico City-That Nicaragua will soon establish a legation in this capital was officially confirmed by the raguan minister will be Senor Erandez

Mexico City-A train load of sap pers, a number of ambulance corps men and eleven ambulances left for Guadalajara. It is unofficially stated that these troops later will be transferred to the Guatemalan frontier.

JOBBERS' TROUBLES.

The New Law Will Worry Dealers in Food and Drugs.

Washington, D. C .- Trouble is brewing for jobuers and wholesale dealers of food and drug products under the construction placed upon the pure food and drugs act by the depart ment of agriculture. Under the law the manufacturer of a particular line of food or drug products may obtain from the department a guaranty of the purity or wholesomeness of products. To the manufacturer whose products have been passed upon by officials of 26 suits in the state circuit court the department of agriculture, a serial number is issued as an identification of the products inspected and found to be manufactured and labeled in ac cordance with the law. Until re were filed against 10 roads here and | cently it was supposed that this guaranty would hold good throughout the distribution and sale of the products, but the department of agriculture holds that it does not.

The new law requires that the guaranty shall be from the person who sold the goods to the person charged with the oriense. Thus if A & Co. sell to B & Co. and give a guaranty, the former's guaranty is not a valid defense for C & Co, against any action under the food and drugs act, as the last named purchased the goods from B and Co. It is the intention of the agricultural department soon to issue a regulation regarding this matter, which probable will create wide interest among jobbers and wholesale dealers all over the country. It will be necessary for them, in order fully to protect their interests, to insist upon direct guarantles from all those from whom they purchase food and drug products.

IN MEMORY OF McKINLEY.

White Marble Obelisk to Be Dedicated in September.

Buffalo New York - The obelisk erected here by the state of New York and the city of Buffalo, in memory of the late President McKinley, who met his death while a visitor to Buffalo, will be dedicated in the first week in September. The obelisk is a pure white marble shaft 86 feet in height. On two sides of the pedestal are inscribed the record of William McKinley as a soldier and a statesman. On the north side is the following:

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ROOSEVELT, HUGHES AND MOSES Massachusetts Bishop Finds a Resem blance in the Three.

Ithaca, New York-Rt. Reverend William Lawrence, the Protestant episcopal bishop of Massachusetts, delivered the baccalaureate sermon at Cornell. Bishop Lawrence drew his text from the life of Moses. He denounced the theologians who rush to arms to attack scientific discoveries and the biblical criticism which seemed to jeopardize the Scriptures. He declared this attitude shows a fundamental lack of faith in God's trust. Bisnop Lawrence said that Theotrain, in charge of Conductor Ben dore Roosevelt and Gov. Hughes resembled Moses in that they have betral crossing, ditching the engine and come successful leaders by sheer force superable obstacles.

Lands Withdrawn from Entry. Washington-The secretary of the interior has withdrawn from all forms of entry the land immediately surrounding Multnomah Falls and also that inclosing the Siskiyou big frees, both in Oregon, with the end in view of creating national parks for the protection of the falls and the trees.

Favors Central American Federation. Mexico City-The following cable dispatch was received from President Zelaya of Nicaragua: "The revolution headed by Dr. Alfara has assumed significant proportions. He is in favor of the confederation of Central American republics."

Carrie Nation Arrested.

Washington-Carrie Nation, after naranging a crowd in front of a downtown saloon, was arrested on a charge of disorderly conduct. She was released on \$20 collateral. Had Paralysis, Lay In Street.

Bethlehem, Pa.-Jacob Walters, prominent resident, was stricken with paralysis while passing along an u frequited street on his way home from business. He lay exposed all night and when found was in such a condition that he will probably die.

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Penniless at Eighty Evansville, Ind.-James Dupoint, aged 80 years, and homeless, was ad mitted to the Little Sisters of the Poor here. He says that at one time his father owned large real estate in

Husband Never Bathes Akron, O .- Mrs. Frank Porter has sued for divorce. In her petition she alleges she lived with Porter from August, 1906; until April of the present year, and that during that time he nev er took a bath.

Swedish Prince Betrothed. nounced of Prince William, duke of Sudermanie, second son of Crown Prince Gustave, and Grand Duchess Maria Paylona of Russia, daughter of Grand Duke Paul Alexandrovitch.

Denmark Royalty Has Measles. Copenhagen-Measles have broker out in the palace, and a oaughter of Prince Waldemar and the little son of the crown prince have been at tacked with the disease. The malady has all the appearance of an epidemic

WORLD'S PEACE NOT IN REACH

HEAD OF THE HAGUE CONFER-ENCE TAKES A PESSI-MISTIC VIEW.

HAS HOPE FOR ARBITRATION

The Dutch Government is Doing All Possible to Promote Success -Carnegie and Roosevelt Cheered.

The Hague-M. Nelidoff opened the peace conference by affirming that universal peace and disarmament was unattainable.

The deliberate utterances of the Russian statesman, although pessimistic to the extent referred to, were hopeful later, when he said he believed that a better method for the judicial adjustment of disputes was possible, even though all conflicts between nations were no more avoidable than conflicts between individuals.

In the course of his address, M. Nelidoff greatly pleased the American delegates by the high tributes which he paid to President Roosevelt and Andrew Carnegie, not mentioning any other countries or rulers.

The reference to President Roose velt in the speeches of both Dr. Van Tets van Gourdain, the Netherlands foreign minister, and M. Nelidoff were greeted with rounds of applause,

Conference in Session 20 Minutes. The whole ceremony lasted hardly 20 minutes, when the conference ad

Tea was served in the main hall and

the committee rooms after the adjournment. A drizzling, overcoat day did not prevent the government of the Netherlands from trying to give the city a

gala appearance. The red, white and blue flag of Holland, side by side with the orange standard of the republic of Nassau, was hoisted over every public building and many private residences flew

the national colors. Fortunately the clouds began to break toward noon and people gathered to witness the arrival of the dis-

tinguished foreigners. As upon the occasion of the first conference, the government of the Netherlands, in order to lay stress upon the peaceful character and objects of the conference, especially requested the delegates and military and naval attaches not to appear in uniform or wear any insignia of their

rank. Much surprise at the fact that Germany and Australia have representatives on the secretariare at the peace conference. This state of affairs is attributed at an alleged agreeament between the three powers to adopt a passive attitude keeping themselves apart from the intimate work of the conference.

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four sleeping lions of marble and of Prison for Public Benefactor London-John Smith, who has been convicted several times of picking pockets, was charged at the Woolwich police court with that offense. He told the magistrate that he was experiment

ing with a device to protect the pub-

lic from men of his trade. He was

sentenced to one months' imprison-

Texas Drouth Killing Stock. Ozona, Tex.-The drouth in the trans-Pecos country is causing heavy losses of sheep and cattle, many of them dying for lack of water. A number of disastrous range fires are reported in the countles west of here, Several hundred thousand acres were

burned over. Entire Town Swallowed Up. Budapest-A village of 30. houses near Zavidovic, standing on the hill on the bank of river Krivaj, Bosnia, has been completely swallowed up.

Oil Struck at Aurora, Mo Aurora, Mo .- In drilling for zinc and lead at Stotts City, in this county, at a depth of 305 feet, a good quantity of oil was struck. The drill passed through a strata of flint, and just beneath the oil was found. The drilling will continue, with the belief that a

Caracas, Venezuela-Venezuela has suspended traffic with the island of Trinidad, owing to the existence of the bubonic plague there.

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## **NEWS OF MISSOURI**

Storm Forces Train to Halt. Mexico-A Chicago & Alton excursion train returning from Hannibal was brought to a stand by the force of the storm near Rush Hill, nine miles from Mexico. The train could make no headway against the wind, while the hallstones broke the glass in the car windows, allowing torrents of rain to drench the passen-

Killed While Repairing Cars. Chaffee-George Miller, aged 52, a car repairer, was instantly killed in the Frisco yards here. With 30 other workmen he was under a string of cars making repairs when a switch engine dashed through an open switch into the rip track. All the men hung to the cars they were under and saved themselves with the exception of Mil-

Electric Swing Falls at Park. Kansas City-The large electric swing at Electric pary, the new amusement resort at Forty-sixth street and Lydia avenue, in this city, fell to the ground with a crash, injuring eight persons, one seriously, when the center shaft, 65 feet high, which supports the cars, snapped at the base and fell over.

Arkansan Kills Relative. Poplar Bluff-Sigel Casebolt rode into this city from Taft, a village 12 miles distant, and surrendered himself, stating he had shot and killed his brother-in-law, Claude Worley. He stated that as the culmination of longstanding trouble between the two, Worley had attacked him with a knife after breaking into Casebolt's house, and he shot Worley in self-defense.

University Summer Session Begins. Columbia-The annual summer session of the state university began with an enrollment of over 400. Most of those in attendance are teachers of high schools who are working toward various university degrees. The attendance for the summer is expected to be about 600. Dr. A. Ross Hill, dean of the teachers' college, is director of the summer session.

Long's Sentence Commuted. Jefferson City-Davis Long, who was to have ben hanged at Caruthersville for the killing of neighbor, as the result of a quarrel over a pig, escaped the gallows, the governor having commuted the death penalty to a term of life imprisonment in the penitentiary.

Lieut. Richardson Buried. Bloomfield-The body of Lieut. Mack Richardson, who committed suicide in San Antonio, Tex., following his resignation from the United States army, after having twice disappointed his fiancee at the altar, was buried here. The services were attended by a large number of Bloomfield citizens. Cadets Leave For Jamestown.

Columbia-The Missouri university cadets have gone to the Jamestown exposition. The last session of the legislature appropriated \$10,000 to pay the expenses of the cadets. The regiment numbers 300 men, two-thirds of whom are sons of farmers of Missouri.

Homes Washed Away. St. Joseph-Elwood, Kas., opposite St. Joseph, is fast being swallowed up by the current of the Missouri river. One hundred homes have been washed

Cracksmen Get \$30.

Lexington-The safe of the West-

ern Coal and Mining Co. was blown and about \$30 taken. The cracksmen were evidently expecting a large haul, as the semi-monthly payday was due. Folk Names Oil Inspector. Jefferson City-Gov. Folk has an-

ounced the appointment of Robert

H. Hager of Monroe Citl to be coal

oil inspector for Monroe county for a from the angles of the pedestal are term of two years. Requisition For a St. Louis Boy. Jefferson City-Gov. Folk issued a requisition on the governor of Michigan for the extradition of Roy Strunk, 16 years old, wanted in St. Louis on a charge of burglary and larceny. He

is under arrest at Detroit.

Lightning Kills Farmer. Eldon-During a thunderstorm Jack Brickey, a farmer near Brumley, together with his team, was struck and killed by lightning while plowing in the field.

Shelbina Postoffice Robber. Shelbina-About 1 o'clock in the morning the postoffice safe was blown open by burglars, who secured \$225 in money and about \$250 worth of

Census for Marysville. Jefferson City-A special census is to be taken of the city of Marysville in DeKalb county. Gov. Folk has appointed Frank Brant to be the enume

Charged With Arson. Princeton-James Jones, a farmer of Mercer, north of this place, was arrested by Sheriff Minter on a charge of arson. The warrant was issued on information by Columbus Brummett, charging Jones with burning a mill and blacksmith shop. The fire occured in Mercer early Sunday morning. Jones denies the charge.

The Body is Recovered. Mexico-The body of young Withrow, who was drowned in Burlington lake, was recovered.

Jefferson City-State Auditor Wil der is preparing for the enforcement of the Dowell bill, taxing each transaction in futures 25 cents.

Mexico-John Wagner, manager for the Buffum Telephone Co. at Auxvasse, near here, killed himself by sending a bullet through his heart. He was 25 years old. He came here from Girard, Ill., and is believed to have been despondent over a love af-